

Trinity Term 2015



The new committee welcome you back to Oxford for the University's thrilling summer term! As always, we have put together a promising term card full of exciting speaker events, socials and cultural happenings! Check your emails and our Facebook page for further information! We look forward to seeing you!
Your Oxford German Society Committee 2015–2016

Week 1

Wine & Cheese

Wed, 29th April, 8pm, Corpus Christi College (Rainolds Room)
Members 3£, non-members 5£

Start the term with an excellent selection of fine wines and cheese at our traditional Trinity Term drinks event! You will get the chance to meet the new committee and brush up your German in the relaxed atmosphere of Corpus Christi College. **(Important: max 50 people)**



Week 2

Talk: Prof Rupert Stadler, CEO of Audi AG

Thur, 7th May, 7pm, The TS Eliot Theatre, Merton College
free for members and non-members

Rupert Stadler was born in 1963 in Tittling (Bavaria), and studied Business Management at Augsburg University of Applied Sciences. After graduating, Stadler started his career at Philips Kommunikation Industrie AG in Nuremberg. He joined AUDI AG, Ingolstadt, in 1990, and became Chairman of the Board of Management of AUDI AG in 2007, after holding several executive positions at Audi's parent company Volkswagen AG. In November 2012, Rupert Stadler was appointed an honorary professor for Business Administration by the University of St. Gallen. **Note: The talk will be held in English.**



Join the Society!

Life Membership £20, Annual Membership £10

Become a member of Oxford's central hub for German culture and language! We seek to entertain and bring together all those interested in Germany including learners of the German language and students from German-speaking countries. Membership will give you free entry to most of our events, unique discounts at local shops and enterprises as well as access to a unique network of students who share your interest in Germany.

Join our Facebook group "Oxford German Society" and become a member of the Society at one of our events. Alternatively, you can join online at www.oxford-germansoc.co.uk!

Week 3

Talk: Barbara Salesch, Judge, television star, artist

Thur, 14th May, 6pm, Blue Boar Lecture Theatre, Christ Church

Barbara Salesch studied law, and became a judge in 1979. In 1991, she was appointed presiding judge at the Hamburg County Court. On the suggestion of the president of the Hamburg County Court, she auditioned for the position of a television court judge and was immediately accepted. The show Richterin Barbara Salesch influenced German afternoon television for 12 years. In 2002, it won the German Television Award for best daily programme. After more than 2400 episodes, Salesch ended her television career in 2012 to devote herself primarily to her art work. **Note: The talk will be held in German.**



The Oxford German Play 2015 – Killing Hitler

12th – 16th May, 7.45pm (Saturday 2pm), Nuffield Chapel

Tickets: <http://www.wegotickets.com/event/317449>



The Oxford German Play is back with a spectacular bilingual production of Bernard Adams' "Killing Hitler". The play follows Oxford-graduate Adam von Trott zu Solz and explores his crucial involvement in the Valkyrie-Plot to assassinate Hitler.

German parts with Subtitles.

Week 4

Multicultural Cocktails with The Oxford Forum

Wed, 20th May, 8-11pm

Oxford Forum will be hosting a cocktail night with Oxford's biggest cultural and ethnic societies. Encouraging inter-connectivity in Oxford's social scene is one the Forum's key agendas. Multicultural Cocktails Night - A night dedicated to an eclectic mix of people and unlimited cocktails! What's not to love? More information on this social is coming soon.



Hosted by the Oxford Forum; further details TBA.

Originally German – The Stammtisch

The “Stammtisch” is our regular social meeting in one of the many Oxford Pubs. Join us to meet friends, practise your German, or just to have a beer or two in a relaxed atmosphere. Look out for the “Stammtisch” sign!

Week 2: Wed, May 6th, 8pm: King's Arms

Week 4: Mon, May 18th, 8pm: Lamb and Flag

Week 6: Wed, Jun 3rd, 7pm: Stammtisch in the park

(weather permitting) - Enjoy a beer or two together with us in the beautiful atmosphere of Christ Church Meadows – please bring your own food and drink.

Thur, 21st May, 8pm, location TBC

Members and Members of the Physics Society free

Topic: "Next exit future – How innovation changes our society"

Description: Ranga Yogeshwar is best known as the presenter of several successful science programmes on the German television. His long-running weekly magazine Quarks & Co is a vital part of the public-broadcasting television serving the purpose of knowledge transfer. Besides his work as science journalist, physicist and author, he also supports various charities in Germany as well as aid schemes in Asia. Yogeshwar has received multiple awards for his achievements in science, journalism and social commitments, amongst others the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany. The talk will be followed by a Q&A. **Note: the talk will be held in English.**



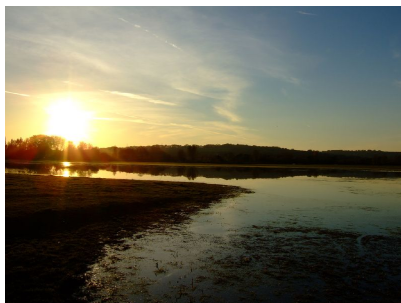
Week 7

World Picnic and Summer Games

Sun, 7th June (if the weather goes British: 14th), noon till early evening, Port Meadow

The German Society is participating in the World Picnic and Summer Games organised by the **Oxford Network of National Societies**. This means every society will bring their own food and drink, and we will enjoy a picnic and barbecue whilst mingling

with members of the other national societies. There will also be an informal Football World Cup and games!



Language Classes

The German Society offers language courses for all those interested in picking up the German language or brushing up their skills from school! For more information email **language@oxford-germansoc.co.uk**

Beginners (A1 - continuing from Hilary) with Philipp: 1st - 8th week: Tuesday, 6.30-7.30pm, Seminar room 3, Balliol

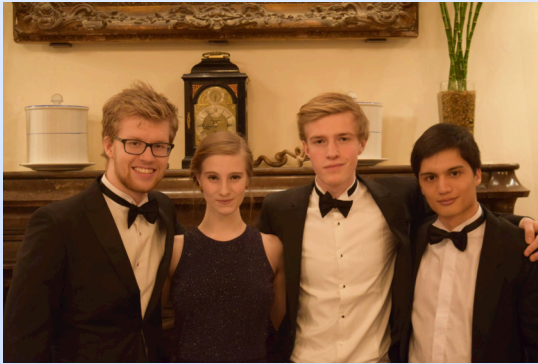
Beginners (A1 - continuing from last term) with Christina: 1st - 6th week: Monday, 6-7pm, MacGregor Room, Oriel

Advanced Beginners (A2) with Michaela: 1st - 5th week: Tuesday, 6-7pm, Hall Garden, St Hilda's

Intermediates (B) with Philipp: 1st - 8th week: Thursday, 8-9pm, Seminar room 3, Balliol

Literature (C) with Linus: 1st-8th week: Thursday, 7-8pm, Seminar room 3, Balliol

*Some impressions from the
Easter dinner*



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